



Nevada GEAR UP

2015-16 STUDENT SURVEY

Your school is part of Nevada GEAR UP, a program that encourages students to plan for and enroll in college. We want to obtain your views of your school, GEAR UP, and your plans after high school. Your feedback is very important for the program to provide better services for you and other students.

Student Name _____

School _____

1. How would you rank yourself academically?
 - ☐ "A" or 4.0 Student
 - ☐ "B" or 3.0 Student
 - ☐ "C" or 2.0 Student
 - ☐ Below "C" or below 2.0 Student
2. About how many hours do you spend on homework **each day**?
 - ☐ None ☐ Less than 1 hour ☐ 1 to 2 hours ☐ 2 to 3 hours ☐ 3 hours or more
3. From whom do you get most of your information about continuing your education after high school?
 - ☐ Parents/guardians
 - ☐ Brothers/sisters
 - ☐ Teachers
 - ☐ Friends
 - ☐ Guidance Counselors
 - ☐ GEAR UP Ambassador, GEAR UP Parent Involvement Coordinator, or other GEAR UP staff
 - ☐ No one has given me information
 - ☐ Someone else (Please specify): _____
4. What is the highest level of education that you expect to obtain?
 - ☐ 4-year college degree or higher
 - ☐ Some college but less than a 4-year college degree
 - ☐ 2-year college degree/associate degree
 - ☐ 1-year trade school
 - ☐ High school diploma
 - ☐ GED
 - ☐ Less than high school

5. If you do not plan to continue your education after high school, what is the main reason?
- ☐ I will continue my education after high school.
 - ☐ It costs too much, I cannot afford it
 - ☐ College is too far from home
 - ☐ I want/need to work
 - ☐ My grades are not good enough
 - ☐ I'm just not interested
 - ☐ I have a disability (physical, learning, or emotional)
 - ☐ I want to join the military service
 - ☐ I want to start a family, or need to take care of my family
 - ☐ Some other reason (specify): _____
6. How often has anyone from your school or GEAR UP ever spoken with you about college entrance requirements?
- ☐ Often during the year
 - ☐ Several times during the year
 - ☐ Once or twice during the year
 - ☐ None
7. How often has anyone from your school or GEAR UP ever spoken with you about the availability of financial aid to help you pay for college?
- ☐ Often during the year
 - ☐ Several times during the year
 - ☐ Once or twice during the year
 - ☐ None
8. How important to your future is getting an education beyond high school?
- ☐ Very Important ☐ Somewhat Important ☐ Not Important ☐ Not sure
9. Do you think that you could afford to attend a public 4-year college using financial aid, scholarships, and your family's resources, such as family income and savings?
- ☐ Definitely ☐ Probably ☐ Not sure ☐ Probably not ☐ Definitely not
10. How much do you know about financial aid and the cost and benefits to you in pursuing postsecondary education, from no knowledge to extremely knowledgeable?

<i>No Knowledge</i>	<i>A Little Knowledge</i>	<i>Some Knowledge</i>	<i>A Lot of Knowledge</i>	<i>Extremely Knowledgeable</i>
<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

11. How much do you know about the academic requirements, such as courses and GPA, to enroll in college, from no knowledge to extremely knowledgeable?

<i>No Knowledge</i>	<i>A Little Knowledge</i>	<i>Some Knowledge</i>	<i>A Lot of Knowledge</i>	<i>Extremely Knowledgeable</i>
<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

12. To what extent do you agree or disagree with following statements regarding you as a learner?

Statements	<i>Strongly Agree</i>	<i>Agree</i>	<i>Disagree</i>	<i>Strongly Disagree</i>
I come to school prepared.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
I am organized in school.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
I work hard in school.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
I have good study habits and skills.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
I understand school subjects and expect to do well.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

13. How satisfied are you with the services you received from GEAR UP for each of the following activities?

GEAR UP Activities	<i>Very Satisfied</i>	<i>Satisfied</i>	<i>Dissatisfied</i>	<i>Very Dissatisfied</i>	<i>Did Not Participate</i>
Career and academic advising	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
College campus visit/presentation	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Financial aid advising	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Tutoring	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Mentoring	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

14. How often have you been in contact with a GEAR UP college or university ambassador?

- ☐ Often during the year
- ☐ Several times during the year
- ☐ Once or twice during the year
- ☐ None

15. To what extent do you agree with the following statements?

Statements	<i>Strongly Agree</i>	<i>Agree</i>	<i>Disagree</i>	<i>Strongly Disagree</i>	<i>Do not know. Have not participated in GEAR UP Activities</i>
I am more motivated to go to college since participating in GEAR UP activities.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
I am more aware of the academic requirements to go college since participating in GEAR UP activities.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
I am more aware of financial aid that I can use to go to college since participating in GEAR UP activities.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
I have become more aware of various career options since participating in GEAR UP activities.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

16. How often have you discussed the academic requirements for attending a trade school, 2-year college, or 4-year college with any adults at home during this year?

- ☐ Often during the year
- ☐ Several times during the year
- ☐ Once or twice during the year
- ☐ None

17. **For High School Junior and Senior Students Only:** Have you, or do you plan to complete a FAFSA with your parents this year?

- ☐ Definitely
- ☐ Probably
- ☐ Not sure
- ☐ Probably not
- ☐ Definitely not

18. **For High School Senior Students Only:** If you plan to seek further education after high school, which college, university, or school are you most likely to attend?

- ☐ College of Southern Nevada, Las Vegas
- ☐ Great Basin College, Elko
- ☐ Nevada State College, Henderson
- ☐ Truckee Meadows Community College, Reno
- ☐ University of Nevada, Las Vegas
- ☐ University of Nevada, Reno
- ☐ Western Nevada College, Carson City
- ☐ Out-of-State University or College
- ☐ Trade/Technical/Business School
- ☐ Other (specify): _____